

September is National Recovery Month

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health
Bureau of Substance Abuse Services
invites you to attend

BSAS Recovery Day Policy Forum September 18, 2012 Gardner Auditorium—State House 1:30pm — 3:30pm

Emerging Recovery Supports: Recovery Coaching

The 9th annual BSAS Recovery Day Policy Forum will focus on policies and practices relating to one specific type of recovery support service: *Recovery Coaching*. A panel discussion will explore benefits of recovery coaching and the ethical and policy challenges associated with developing this emerging workforce role.

Welcome: *Hilary Jacobs, Interim Director, Bureau of Substance Abuse Services*

Special Guest: *A. Kathryn Power, Director—SAMHSA's Center for Mental Health Services*

Keynote: *Phillip Valentine, Executive Director Connecticut Community for Addiction Recovery*

Presenter: *Walter Ginter, Director MARS—Medication Assisted Recovery Services Project*

Panelists: *Phillip Valentine, CCAR*
Haner Hernandez, PhD, MA Access to Recovery
Rene Andersen, Consultant, Andersen Healing

